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This is response to the Order given by the Board of Patent Appeals and Interference on 12/02/2004.

The references listed in IDS filed on 11/17/2003 have been considered. Actually, examiner of the present application considered the references previously when he reviewed the corresponding PCT/US02/21548 case. The Examiner maintains his position as presented in the final rejection and the examiner answer. A signed copy of the considered IDS is attached.

  
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